



May 29, 2015

To: Executive Board

Subject: **Holiday Service Schedule for Fiscal Year 2015-2016**

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**Recommendation**

Approve the proposed FY 2015-2016 Holiday Service Schedule.

**Analysis**

Foothill Transit traditionally operates a weekend schedule on most federal holidays. On these holidays ridership on both our local and commuter lines is very low, indicating that Foothill Transit's weekend schedule would better meet ridership demand. As such it is recommended that Foothill Transit operate a weekend schedule on the following holidays in accordance to the Federal Holiday schedule for FY 2015- 2016:

Holiday	Day of Week	Date
Independence Day	Friday	July 3**
Labor Day	Monday	September 7
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday	November 26
Christmas Day	Friday	December 25
New Year's Day	Friday	January 1
President's Day	Monday	February 15
Memorial Day	Monday	May 30

\*\* July 4, 2015 (the legal public holiday for Independence Day), falls on a Saturday. For most Federal employees, Friday, July 3, will be treated as a holiday.

**Budget Impact**

Operating weekend schedules on the above listed holidays will result in approximately \$562,255 in reduced operating cost than if regular weekday service was provided on the dates listed above.

Sincerely,

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Executive Director